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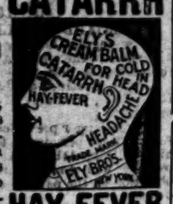

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BLACK HAND THREAT.

Abe Marks, a saloonkeeper, at 622 east Broad street, Richmond, is the recipient of a letter, alleged to have been written by a fellow Italian, in which he is warned that unless Joseph Morra, who lives in a room above the saloon, is put out, his saloon and contents will be blown to atoms.

Sometime ago Morra, who is a married man, was arrested and acquitted on a charged of having committed a criminal assault upon a 13-year-old Italian girl, and since then he has received numerous threats against his life, which he supposes to have been written by the father of the girl. Morra says he will protect Marks at any hazard.

The letter received by Marks read:

"If you don't want your bar blown up, you better let Joe Morra move, because he has done wrong in this city, and has many enemies. If you don't want to get in trouble, you better make him move.

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Hans Albert, a violinist of international fame, who has been held for several months within the jurisdiction of the county court on the charge of lunacy, was on Monday at Cripple Creek, Col., pronounced of sound mind and set at liberty.

The decision, according to several attorneys, may cause the question to arise as to whether Albert is married or single, and if he was in sound mind when he, as a prisoner on July 28, extended his hand through the bars of a window at the county jail and grasped the hand of Grace Hadsel, of Ottumwa, Ia., while a minister on the outside pronounced the pair man and wife.

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Fairfax Harrison, vice president of the Southern Railway, said yesterday at his office in New York that the increased net earnings of the road since last March have not been brought about by economies at the expense of the property, in spite of the fact that the gross earnings have shown a large falling off. He made the remarkable statement that for July, when the total operating revenues showed a decrease of $642,672 as compared with last year, the total operating income for the month was $1,196,778, an increase of $405,576 over July, 1907.

"The remarkable showing of control of expenses has given rise to comment suggesting that such results have been secured at the expense of the conservative upkeep of the property. This view is not justified by the facts," said Mr. Harrison. "Not only has the roadbed been kept up in all respects necessary for the safe and prompt movement of trains, but it has been materially strengthened in the past year."

HOLLAND AND VENEZUELA.

The people of Holland are fearful that when the last note of the Dutch government to President Castro of Venezuela is made public, it will be found that Holland has surrendered in a large measure to Castro and has backed down from the threatening attitude she first assumed The foreign office's curt statement that the note has produced the desired "quieting effect" is what arouses the apprehension of the public. The note was presented to Senor Paul, the Venezuela foreign minister, through Baron Seckendorff, the German minister to Caracas, and it is expected that it will pave the way for an amicable adjustment of the differences between the two countries. As President Castro has not receeded from his independent and warlike attitude it is assumed that the note is far more conciliatory than will comport with the general feeling of the Hollanders.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 23, 1908

Two years ago, or just prior to the New York state election in November, 1906, the republicans were alarmed at what was said to be a strong and determined effort to elect Wm. R. Hearst governor of that state, and defeat Chas. E. Hughes. The republicans were so badly scared that President Roosevelt sent his secretary of state, Mr. Root, to make a speech in denunciation of Hearst. This speech was delivered in Utica on the night of November 1, 1906. Mr. Root declared that he spoke with the president's authority. He read extracts from Mr. Hearst's newspapers previous to McKinley's assassination to support the charge that Hearst urged the shooting at Buffalo; that Hearst "was an insincere self-seeking demagogue;" that "the public knows the character of Mr. Hearst only by the newspapers he publishes, and God forbid that we should set up in the high station of governor of New York, for the admiration and imitation of our children, the man whose character is reflected in the columns of the New York Journal, Wm. R. Hearst." In conclusion Mr. Root said: "I say by the president's authority that in penning these words, with the horror of President McKinley's murder fresh before him, he had Mr. Hearst specially in his mind." Two years ago the Gazette expressed its opinion of Wm. R. Hearst, not as harshly as Mr. Root did for the president. The Gazette has not changed its opinion of Mr. Hearst; it considered him then characterless; it does now. However, the president has changed, as he speaks with some respect of Mr. Hearst, now, inasmuch as that worthy maligns Governor Haskell, and Governor Haskell denounces Hearst as an assassin of character. It is a difference as to whose ox is being gored.

THE following appeared in the Local Brevities of the Gazette on Saturday last:

A civil service examination for the position of clerk (male and female) and carrier (male) will be held at the postoffice in this city on October 14.

A Washington paper garbled it as follows:

Announcement is made that the local board of civil service examiners will hold an examination at the city postoffice October 14 next for the position of clerk-carrier. Both male and female candidates are eligible.

Another Washington paper endeavored to make it appear that a female was about to become a letter carrier of this city and in an article attempting to be funny, stated that great excitement followed the announcement here and that meetings were held concerning the matter, etc. The Washington papers, one and all, make themselves ridiculous in their constant abortive attempts to belittle Alexandria and her citizens. These papers, however, are constantly soliciting patronage in Alexandria and derive no small revenue from her people, but all the same they let no opportunity go by to bring reproach upon the city. It is needless to say that the paragraph, which was sufficiently plain, caused neither excitement nor comment here.

MR. BRYAN'S prompt demand upon Mr. Roosevelt to substantiate his charge that Gov. Charles N. Haskell, of Oklahoma, treasurer of the democratic national committee, was ever connected with the Standard Oil Company was opportune, and the president's answer is awaited with interest. Mr. Roosevelt has been prone to make wild assertions, he being of that ilk who seem to support that they can say what they please, whether it be true or false, and that they are under no obligation to make explanations when their assertions are controverted or proven to be baseless. While Mr. Bryan was indicting his challenge to Mr. Roosevelt National Chairman Mack was telegraphing to the president protesting against the reference to the $300,000 declared by the republicans to have been found in the democratic treasury when Governor Haskell was made treasurer. The spectacle of a presidential condidate and his chief campaign manager simultaneously rebuking the chief magistrate of the nation for making statements declared to be unjustified is a commentary upon the present political condition of the country.

THERE is a slump in the New York stock market. The record of the year was made yesterday when 1,490,000 shares were sold, prices being knocked down several points. Many persons think it is of a political character. Quite likely. Republicans say it was due to fear of Bryan's election. They are either confessing the probability that Mr. Bryan will be elected, or they worked a slump of the market in order to scare the financial interests into making generous contributions to save the republican party. Hitchcock admits that he is waiting for money.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Sept. 23.

Mr. Roosevelt has donned the war bonnet of commander-in-chief of the republican campaign situation. The friends of Hitchcock and Crane may amuse themselves quarreling over the states of their favorite chieftains, but from now on there will be one generalissimo, and his headquarters will be at the White House. From day to day there will be conferences at the White House with national and state leaders of the party. Hitchcock and Crane are expected within a day or two. Others will follow. Already the president has given out two statements in the interests of Mr. Taft. There are more to come, and, if Bryan should press the battle too hard, the president himself will take the stump. But whether the president does this or not, the campaign from this day on will go with a dash, that should suit the most jaded political first nighter. One of the first doses of Dr. Roosevelt's political ginger, to be put up at the White House, will be an answer to Byran's telegraphic challenge of yesterday, demanding proof of the charges against Gov. Haskell, of Oklahoma, treasurer of the democratic national committee, or his exoneration. Just what particular form this will take is uncertain at this hour, but that it will be of the variety commonly known as hot stuff, is a foregone conclusion. It was stated today that the president has kept fairly well up with the work of his office during his sojourn at Oyster Bay, and that there were only a few important matters awaiting his attention. Moreover, he had practically completed his annual message to Congress. The very first caller received by the president today, was W. C. Haskell, sealer of weights and measures of the District of Columbia and formerly United States Marshal of the northern district of Ohio. He is the man whose name was mentioned recently by Governor C. N. Haskell, of Oklahoma, as possibly being the Haskell, to whom former Attorney General Monnett, of Ohio, referred in his charges of attempted bribery in connection with Standard Oil matters in the Buckeye state. W. C. Haskell told the president that he never had any connection with the Standard Oil Company, and knew nothing about the case. A large number of visitors arrived during the morning, many of them government officials having business with the executive.

It was announced at the White House this afternoon by Secretary Loeb that the president's reply to Wm. J. Bryan's lengthy telegram yesterday on the Haskell Standard Oil incident was in course of preparation but that owing to its great length it would likely be impossible to make it public before evening. It was further stated in response to an inquiry that it would not be telegraphed to candidate Bryan.

It was announced that there would be no reply to the telegram of Chairman Mack, of the democratic national committee, with reference to the $300,000 alleged to have been left over from the last campaign fund. Secretary Garfield says he told the president that the situation in Ohio was very satisfactory now, although there had been some disturbing elements.

The best means of checking frauds of various kinds in banking, was the subject under discussion at today's meeting of the national Bank Examiners. It quite often happens that bad and worthless paper, is carried among the live papers in the form of past due notes, which have been continually renewed without any payment of interest, to deceive the examiner or auditing committee of the bank. How to detect this practice, and how to verify loans, the collateral security of which is held by a correspondent bank, formed an interesting topic of debate. Another subject was the best means of checking out securities left with a bank for safe keeping to prevent such securities from being shown to the examiner to cover shortage in the banks assets or collaterals to loans.

President Roosevelt was this afternoon made acquainted with the latest development in the case of Col. W. F. Stewart, whose exile at an ungarrisoned fort in Arizona has created such a great furore in army circles. Maj. Gen. W. P. Duvall, acting chief of staff, was called to the White House by the president. Although no official announcement has been made, it is understood that Gen. Duvall handed the president the latest report, in which Col. Stewart has been cited to appear before a reviring board.

Orville Wright is better today. He slept five hours last night, which is the best night's rest he has had.

Secretary Loeb announced this afternoon in reply to inquiries that he knew of no date for a conference having been arranged by the president with Chairman Hitchcock of the republican national committee. He further stated that so far as he knew there was to be no general conference here with Chairman Hitchcock, Senator Crane and other leading republicans.

Virginia News.

The bank of Crozet near Charlottesville, was dynamited about 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and about one thousand dollars taken from the demolished safe.

Walter Moore, of Portsmouth, yesterday jumped overboard from a launch with a blazing gasoline tank, thereby saving himself and six friends from serious injury or death.

Walter H. Smith, assistant attorney-general during the administration of President Grant, died at the family residence at Catletts, Fauquier county, Monday night.

General Eppa Hunton, of Warrenton, one of the oldest living brigadier-generals of the civil war, will celebrate today his eighty-fifth birthday at the home of his son, Mr. Eppa Hunton, jr., in Richmond.

A live sea cow, or manatee, weighing 1,500 pounds, was hauled ashore yesterday at Ocean View in a seine. The fisherman succeeded in getting it alive in a pen, where it is being kept as a curiosity.

Louis O. Wendenburg, one of the most widely known criminal attorneys in Virginia, and until recently commonwealth's attorney of Henrico county, has filed in the clerk's office of his native county an application for an absolute divorce from his wife. The allegation is desertion. The wife is now in Florida. The marriage of the gifted lawyer was quite a romantic one, as his bride was formerly his private stenographer.

During a quarrel, North Shirley, of White Hall, Frederick county, was shot and probably fatally wounded late Monday night by Andrew Cloud, a merchant of the same place, and V. T. Hardy, a bystander, was beaten into insensibility.

News of the Day.

The president returned to Washington last night from his summer vacation spent at Oyster Bay.

William H. Taft, in an address before the convention of republican clubs at Cincinnati, yesterday, held up Mr. Bryan's record and declared it was one of negation and repudiation.

J. Polk Biser, formerly superintendent of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, and for many years prominent locally as a democratic politician, died yesterday at his home in Knoxville, Frederick county, aged 65 years.

There was some commotion at Hancock, Monday night, when a large deer came down from the mountains, passed through Hagerstown, Md., crossed the bridge over the Potomac river and disappeared in the Virginia mountains.

Mercury as a specific in the treatment of tuberculosis finds few advocates among the medical men attending the International Congress of Tuberculosis, the exposition of which is now open at the new National Museum building in Washington.

The American bark Star of Bengal, Capt. Thompson, has been driven ashore on Coronation Island, in the Pacific, and is a total wreck. Nothing is said of the fate of the officers and crew of the wrecked bark, but the presumption is that they were still on the vessel.

During gunnery drill at Toulon, France, yesterday, one of the big turret guns on the French armored cruiser Latouche Treville exploded with terrific violence, completely wrecking the after turret and killing outright the entire gun crew of 13 and injuring many others.

A dispatch from Merida, Mexico, says that the large El Pervenir match factory, at that place, was blown up with dynamite and destroyed. The loss was $100,000. The act was committed by a workman, who was dissatisfied because his wages had been reduced. His body was blown to pieces in the explosion.

Mrs. William D. Garvey, wife of a wealthy wholesale confectioner of Fall River, R. I., was instantly killed and her two children were hurt when a Crescent Park electric car struck the automobile in which they were riding on Warren avenue in East Providence, late yesterday afternoon.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, must answer the questions which made him angry when propounded by Daniel Davenport, attorney of the Buck Stove and Range Company, in the contempt proceedings against the American Federationist now going on in Washington.

George Clark, a negro, shot Constable W. H. Taylor, who attempted to arrest him at Sbero, Tex., Monday night, and a mob hanged the negro to a tree, leaving him for dead. Yesterday morning he was found to be still alive and was taken to jail. A second mob is now threatening to lynch Clark.

George Thomas, the negro who shot Sheriff W. W. Beard at Fort Gaines, Ga., Monday, was lynched by a mob in the railroad station. First reports said Thomas was killed by the sheriff, but he escaped and took refuge in the railroad station, where a crowd of infuriated citizens located him and literally riddled him with bullets.

Leo Black, of Petersburg, W. Va., who killed his sister while attempting to shoot his father, following a quarrel with the latter, was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter by a jury yesterday afternoon. Black's father and mother, in accordance with a promise made to their daughter on her death bed, testified in the defendant's favor.

It was learned at Reno, Nev., yesterday that Nat C. Goodwin had filed suit for divorce against his wife, known on the stage as Maxine Elliott. The suit, it is understood, was filed Monday. Goodwin's attorneys refuse to give out any information regarding it. The papers are in the form of a sealed suit. Goodwin left Reno last night.

Edgar Allen Poe may not have been having a "hop" dream when he wrote his famous poem, "The Raven," after all, for little nine-year-old Louis Quinlon, of Denver, Colo., who was accused of stealing $2 from Mrs. Amos Throckmorton's pocketbook on the evidence of the latter's magpie, confessed that "Mag" told the truth.

Relatives of James R. Davis, 38 years old, who has been missing from his home in Washington, fear the man has committed suicide. Davis is said to have told his wife on the morning of his disappearance that he would end his life. He is the father of four young children, and is said to have been in ill health for some time.

At an early hour this morning the West Virginia republican state committee selected W. E. Glasscock, collector of internal revenue for that state, to fill the place on the republican state ticket, made vacant by the withdrawal of Swisher, as candidate for governor. The selection of Glasscock is not acceptable to Scherr, who probably will refuse to withdraw.

The police are seeking the assailant of Miss Stella Collins, aged 25 years, who was attacked in a public park at St. Paul, Minn., Monday night, and her tongue cut out. The young woman's tongue was cut off as neatly as if by a surgeon experienced in such work. She was not otherwise injured, save for a few slight cuts on her cheek. The crime was committed by an Italian. The police think that it may have been a Black Hand outrage.

A statement on authority was made yesterday that the recent resignation of Second Assistant Postmaster General James T. McCleary, nominated for Congress in the Second Minnesota district, and Paul Ewart, assistant United States district, attorney, also a candidate for the congressional nomination in the same district, were required by the president because of their political activity. Their resignation were called for before either Mr. McCleary or Mr. Ewart knew who would secure the nomniation.

The will of Henry J. Braker, who died in England on September 1, was filed for probate in New York yesterday, with a codicil made on August 21, the day Mr. Braker sailed for England. The will was made on June 1, 1907, the day he married Mrs. Gelshenen, widow of the president of the Garfield National Bank. These dates are interesting, as by his will Mr. Braker left the income from $1,300,000 to his wife, and also made bequests aggregating $125,000 to her children by Gelshenen. In the codicil he revoked these bequests to the Gelshenen children and made his wife the residuary legatee.

Alarm is felt in many sections of New York because of the rapid and continued spread of the big forest fires that have been burning for many days in the Adirondacks.

The Indiana House of Representatives came very near being the scene of a riot yesterday as a result of the final of the backers of the county local option bill. The police ejected a score of workers.

Reunited through the efforts of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ferdinand Pinney Earle, the affinity wife of the artist, has returned to the Earle home at Monroe, N. Y., whence she fled with her young baby a few weeks ago, charging that her husband had beaten her.

Charles Boyle, a former student of Stanford University, son of Henry Boyle, a millionaire property-holder of Seattle and Oakland and member of a family conspicuous in the most exclusive society circles of San Raphael, Cal., is alleged to have made confession of a number of crimes committed in Marion county last spring. According to Sheriff Taylor, who interviewed young Boyle in jail at Salinas, the prisoner admitted that he had held up 15 men in the National Hotel bar at San Raphael and seriously wounded a constable; that he had attacked a young woman with a club and pursued another and was guilty of other offenses which for a time terrified a quiet community. The sheriff knows of no motive for the young man's conduct.

Today's Telegraphic News

Question of Veracity.

New York, Sept. 23.—Wall street and financial circles are still discussing the statement of John D. Archbold of the Standard Oil Company carried yesterday by the United Press. Despite the denial sent out by the Standard Oil publicity department, virtually every New York paper this morning carried the story in full. A number of them, whose fiancial writers were personally familiar with Mr. Archbold's style, commented to the effect that the statement sounded very like the Standard Oil chief.

The interview was secured by a reliable representative of the United Press who saw Mr. Archbold shortly after ten o'clock yesterday morning at 26 Broadway. The reporter states that following his taking down of the statement of the Standard Oil chief he read the story to the latter and made some corrections at his suggestions. A promise was then exacted from him by Mr. Archbold that no material change was to be made in the story, that it was not to be edited, or prefaced with any conjecture or conclusion.

Mr. Archbold has repudiated the story. Against this the United Press has the word of its representative and the question is narrowed down to one of veracity between two men, Mr. Archbold and the representative of the United Press.

Boy Murderer's Confession.

New York, Sep. 23.—Enrique Delars, the seventeen-year-old Santo Domingan, who, it is claimed by the police, has made full confession of the murder and robbery of Rev. Father Arturo Asencio in Central Park on the night of September 14, will be taken today to the scene of the crime where the detectives hope to break down the boy's self-confession and secure a more detailed account of the killing. According to the authorities, Delara has admitted robbing Father Asencio on a previous occasion and killing and robbing him in the park because of alleged revolting propositions made him by the Santo Domingan priest. On the night of the shooting, Delara said he met the priest by appointment at an Eighth avenue entrance to the park and walked with him. In a deserted spot in the park Father Asencio, Delara claims, insulted him and enraged him to such a degree that he drew his revolver and fired. The priest fell and Delara tore off his watch and chain, took his purse, and ran. When arrested Delara at first denied all knowledge of the crime.

Collapse of a Bridge.

Elkton, Md., Sept. 23.—As a freight train was passing over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad bridge across the Susquehanna river a few minutes before 7 o'clock this morning, between ten and fifteen cars fell into the channel on the Cecil county side of Watson Island. The bridge across the river is being rebuilt, and when the train was passing over one of the spans gave way with a terrific crash. The whole train with the exception of one car and the locomotive fell into the river. Up to this time only one man is known to have been injured, and it is believed that none were drowned, or killed. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will use the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad between Aberdeen and Wilmington until the repairs can be made which will likely be some time. The Western Union Telegraph Company's cables and wires, the Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph wires and part of the Bell Telephone wires were put out of commission. It was rumored that the bridge had been dynamited, but this is not confirmed.

Later reports say the accident was due to structural weakness. In all 12 cars and 400 feet of the structure were precipitated into the river 90 feet below. The damage to the work is estimated at $400,000.

Frightful Accident.

Philadelphia, Sept. 23.—Seventy-two men injured, at least seven of them fatally, is the terrible result of a trolley accident caused by a damaged signal box on the Southwestern Traction Company's line, near Tinicumbat about 7 o'clock. Two trolley cars, heavily loaded with workmen, running at high speed, collided head-on in a dense fog and instantly the bodies of dying and maimed were scattered about the road or buried under wreckage. One of the cars was bound cityward from Chester, the other was known as the "Baldwin Tripper," leaving this city 5:30 each morning carrying workmen to the Baldwin Locomotive Works at Chester. In the car were 75 men. The "tripper" had groped its way through the dense fog into a switch. Another car passed it but the crew failed to inform the crew of the Tripper that there was another car in the block following and the tripper started ahead. It had not gone half a mile when it crashed into the city bound car full speed.

The official of the road place the blame for the collision upon strikers in Chester who have been fighting the company for several months. They are suspected of having tampered with a signal box.

Kodol will, in a very short time, enable the stomach to do the work it should do, and the work it should do is to digest all the food you eat. It makes the stomach sweet and it is pleasant to take. It is sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Mr. Bryan in Ohio.

Columbus, O., Sept. 23.—Fully determined to compel an answer from President Roosevelt to his telegram yesterday, William J. Bryan reached here today with his fighting clothes on. Bryan read the speech Judge Taft made last night attacking him in a personal manner and indicated by his manner that he will reply to certain portions of it before leaving Ohio.

The Standard Oil revelations continue the great center of interest. Bryan believes Haskell innocent and will stand by him until he is proven otherwise; but should the allegations be well founded, no time will be lost in decapitating the governor of Oklahoma.

An interesting rumor reached the Bryan party today while en route here. It came from a close personal friend of Governor Haskell in Chicago.

"Haskell told me that he had the absolute proof of his innocence," declared this individual, "and his trip west is to secure them. He intends to appeal to the courts for redress."

Now that Roosevelt has taken the matter up Mr. Haskell is likely to feel that he must act.

Bryan on arriving here was asked if he had anything to add to his letter of yesterday, but he declared he had nothing at this time.

Bryan and his party left Toledo early today over the Hocking Valley Railway and he made a dozen speeches between the two points. His best speeches were made at Fostoria and Delaware, where he appealed for support for the democratic legislative and congressional candidates. Upon arrival here he went to fill a luncheon engagement at the home of Col. J. L. Vance and this afternoon to the democratic workers. Tonight he will make a formal speech and later leave for Dayton and Cincinnati, where he will speed Thursday.

Columbus, O., Sept. 23.—There is every indication that Mr. Bryan will be heard by more people in Columbus today than have ever listened to a single man in one day in the history of the city. The programme calls for five speeches. The first will be to the party workers. This is to be an executive heart-to-heart affair with admission only by card. After addressing the travelling men and the delegates to the convention of enginemen in separate speeches, the culmination will come in a double meeting at Memorial Hall this evening. The fact that Bryan is expected to go at length into the Roosevelt-Foraker-Hearst-Haskell controversy will draw a big crowd.

In response to a telephone message from Bryan at Detroit, Frank S. Monnett, former attorney general of Ohio, left Delaware this morning to board the Bryan train. He goes to supply the democratic nominee with information concerning Standard Oil matters. Monnett made the affidavit presented by William R. Hearst in his Columbus speech, in which the name of Charles N. Haskell appears in connection with the alleged attempt of the Standard Oil Company to bribe Monnett when he was attorney general. While Monnett has said that he was impressed with the denial of Haskell that he was the Haskell in that transaction, he has never yet said that a mistake was made when he used the name of Haskell.

The summoning of Monnett indicates that Bryan is loaded with information to be used from the same platform in Columbus from which Hearst set off the bomb involving Senator J. B. Foraker and Treasurer Haskell of the national democratic committee.

Monnet and Haskell

Columbus, O., Sept. 23.—"I can not exonerate Governor Haskell from the charge that he was a participant in the $500,000 bribery fund raised by the Standard Oil interests to bribe me to stop my proceedings against them, but neither can I condemn him," declared former Attorney General Monnett, of Ohio, in the Bryan train today at Prospect.

"All I know against the treasurer of the democratic committee," he continued, "is the statement of Charles B. Squier that Charles N. Haskell was one of the three men who raised the funds to bribe me. Haskell has always declared that he was innocent. But I insist that the courts are open and that a grand jury investigation would show just what was done. If there is another Haskell the grand jury can easily determine that fact."

Gompers' Manifesto.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 23.—At today's session of the Workingmens Federation of New York State the expected manifesto from Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor was read and adopted with but one dissenting vote. The manifesto recites the demands of labor submitted to the national conventions of republican and democratic parties together with the sections of the respective platforms bearing upon the subjects touched upon in the demands.

In part the manifesto reads: "The republican party definitely lines up with the corporate interests of the country and defies the people to help themselves. "The democratic party endorses labor demand and pledges itself to carry them into effect if it is put into power. We call upon the workers of our common country to stand faithfully by our friends, oppose and defeat our enemies, whether they be candidates for president for congress, or others offices, whether executive legislative or judicial."

Senator Foraker.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Mystery surrounds the presence in Chicago today of Senator Dick of Ohio, lieutenant of Senator Foraker. Mr. Dick arrived yesterday afternoon and held a conference with Senator Crane of Massachusetts in the interest of Foraker. Just what happened at this conference is not known as Dick and Crane both declined to talk. It is believed that Dick's appearance here means that he is trying to work up a compromise with national republican leaders. Report is that Dick carried a message to Crane to the effect that while Foraker would prefer to stump Ohio as the accredited representative of the national committee whether the national committee liked it or not he intended to stump the state. When reporters started on his trial today Dick vanished. It is believed about republican headquarters that he is waiting her for the arrival of Judge Taft from Cincinnati tonight. Politicians believe Dick will urge upon Taft the necessity of keeping Foraker out of the discard for the present at least.

To Lecture in Bryan's Interest.

London, Sept. 23.—William J. Bryan is to have the services in his campaign for the presidency of Lady Francis Cook and several noted lecturers, whom she will take to America. Lady Cook's interest in Mr. Bryan comes from the fact that she believes he will do more for the cause of woman suffrage and the regulation of the divorce evil than any other public man in the United States.

City Council.

The City Council was in session about an hour last night. An average volume of business, mostly of a routine nature, was transacted.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

President Curtin announced the members of the standing committees of the Aldermen. In doing so he said that as the personnel of the new board was the same as last session, he had made no changes, and he hoped this would be agreeable to the members. They all signified that they approved of his action.

Mr. Birrell, from the lower board, subsequently appeared in the chamber bearing an invitation to the Aldermen for a joint meeting for the election of a police commissioner from the First ward.

Mr. Ballenger moved that the invitation be declined, and that a joint meeting be held at the next regular meeting of Council for the election of a commissioner.

This motion was adopted by a unanimous vote.

Mr. Brill called attention to certain recommendations in Mayor Paff's inaugural address on the 1st instant, and asked if it was not customary to refer such suggestions to appropriate committees.

An interchange of opinion, in which nearly all the members participated, followed, some saying that inaugural address of mayors had never heretofore been referred to committees, as they did not form a part of the official proceedings of either board, the addresses being delivered in joint session. Messages of mayors to Council, however, were always properly referred.

Mr. Brill finally introduced a resolution referring Mayor Paff's inaugural address to proper committees, but after further discussion it was laid over, it being understood that copies of the address would be procured by the members and the mayor's recommendations be given proper attention.

Mr. Brill again called attention to the alleged inadequate unsatisfactory electric car service on King street. He said the car is seldom at the foot of that street when the Norfolk steamer arrives, and that passengers are often compelled to walk to the union station. Mr. Brill thought the mayor and committee on streets were derelict in not compelling the company to run the car on a proper schedule.

Mr. Marbury said the committee on streets could not compel the company to render satisfactory service. The mayor, however, could.

No action was taken in the matter.

When an ordinance passed by the Common Council, fixing the grade of Alfred street, between Prince and Duke, was read, Mr. Summers asked certain questions concerning the same, and City Engineer Dunn was invited into the chamber to make explanations as to the effects of the new grade.

Mr. Dunn's explanations were satisfactory, and the Aldermen concurred in the action of the Common Council in adopting the same, as they did on all other papers sent in.

COMMON COUNCIL.

What was expected to be a busy session of Council, being the first meeting from a business standpoint since July 14, turned out to be very tame last night.

At the beginning of the session the Chair administered the oath of office to Mr. Harry Burke, who was not present at the first meeting of Council.

The Chair then announced the standing committees for the year, the names of which will be found in the official proceedings.

The first business was the petition of Capt. F. L. Slaymaker for free gas for the use of the A. L. I. military organization. It was referred to the committee on light and finance.

An ordinance was presented by the committee on streets to establish curb and grade crossings on the south side of Princess street, from Payne to West.

At this juncture Mr. Brill requested the body to act on three measures at the present meeting, as this was the wish of the city engineer.

This ordinance was ordered to the second reading and passed unanimously.

An ordinance to establish grade on Queen street, from Henry to Fayette, was passed, as was also an ordinance to curb and establish grade on Alfred street from Duke to Prince street.

When the ordinance to curb Alfred street, from Duke to Prince came up, Mr. Spinks asked the object of the proposed improvement. He said there were many new houses being built on that street and hoped the grade would not interfere with these improvements.

Mr. Uhler said he thought it was the idea of the city engineer to raise the center of the street, as it was very flat.

Mr. Evans thought the street anything but flat.

The Chair suggested that the matter had come from the street committee and that the engineer wanted to make the improvement at once.

It was placed upon its third reading and passed.

A petition was received from Messrs. T. N. and G. R. Nugent for repairs to the sewer adjoining their property at the corner of Pitt and Gibbon streets, which was referred to the committee on streets.

A petition was granted Mr. W. C. Van Meter to erect an additional stairway at the Opera House.

A petition was granted for the reshingling and repairs of a house in Printers' alley, bounded by King, Prince, Lee and Fairfax streets.

Permisson was granted Mrs. C. Pierson to reshingle 1012 Cameron street.

A petition of the business men who rent stalls in the market in regard to furnishing electricty for the market was referred to the committees on light, finance and general laws.

The action of the Alderman in granting permission to reshingle house No. 111 north Royal street, belonging to Mr. John A. Cogan, was concurred in.

At this juncture the president announced the retirement from the general laws committee of Mr. Harry Burke. He then appointed Mr. Smith to said committee and advanced Mr. Birrell to the committee on poor.

The chair stated that in forming the committees he had agreed with the President of the Board of Aldermen on making as few changes as possible.

Mr. Brill moved to invite the Board of Aldermen in joint session for the purpose of electing a successor to Mr. Zero Hill, police commissioner, whose time had expired.

The Board of Aldermen sent word that they declined to meet in joint session at this meeting and asked a postponement till the next meeting. This was agreed to.

Mr. Birrell called attention to the resolution introduced by him some time ago for the codification of the laws, and pleasantly referred to Mr. Evans in regard to the matter. Mr. Birrell said in the near future he would call for a report from the committee having the matter in charge.

Mr. Evans said he took little interest in the codification of the laws, but would not oppose action in the matter.

No other business appearing, council adjourned.

Official.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held September 22, 1908, there were present:

J. R. N. Curtin, esq., President, and Messrs. Hill, Brill, Marbury, Ballenger, Field and Summers.

Mr. Ballenger presented a petition of John A. Cogan for permission to repair or reshingle his dwelling, 111 north Royal street. The petition was granted provided there is no objection on the part of adjoining property-owners.

President Curtin announced the appointment of the following standing committees:

Finance—W. H. Sweeney and J. M. Hill.
Light—W. H. Sweeney and Jacob Brill.
Streets—F. F. Marbury and Henry K. Field.
Poor—J. M. Hill and C. J. W. Summers.
Public Property—W. W. Ballenger and C. J. W. Summers.
General Laws—H. K. Field and W. W. Ballenger.
Claims—Jacob Brill and F. F. Marbury.
Police—W. W. Ballenger and Jacob Brill.
Schools—W. H. Sweeney and H. K. Field.

An invitation from the Common Council to participate in a joint session for the election of a Police Commissioner from the First ward was declined by the Aldermen, and on motion of Mr. Ballenger the election was postponed until the next regular meeting of Council.

Mr. Brill introduced a resolution referring the inaugural address of F. J. Paff, Mayor, to proper committees. The resolution was laid over.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in by unanimous vote:

Ordinance to curb and grade the south side of Princess street from Payne to West street.

An ordinance to curb and grade Alfred street from Duke to Prince street.

Ordinance to establish the curb and grade on Queen street from Henry to Fayette.

Petition of F. L. Slaymaker, captain of the Alexandria Light Infantry, asking Council to furnish gas at Armory Hall.

Petition of Mrs. C. Pierson for permission to reshingle house No. 1012 Cameron street.

Petition of George Uhler for permission to reshingle warehouse in Printer's alley in rear of No. 112 south Fairfax street.

Petition of C. Kicherer for permision to repair the roof of house No. 130 Prince street.

Petition of W. C. Van Metre for permission to erect a stairway from the first floor entrance of the Opera House.

Petition of merchants, butchers and hucksters in the city market for electric lights in the same.

Petition of Thos. W. and George R. Nugent for repairs to the sewer at Gibbon and Pitt streets.

The board then adjourned.

J. R. N. CURTIN, President.
Teste: LUTHER H. THOMPSON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of Alexandria, Va., held September 22nd, 1908, there were present: Hubert Snowden, Esq., President and Messrs. Burke, Risheill, Brumback, Smith, Brill, Baader, Birrell, Hellmuth, Uhler, Marshall, Spinks and Evans.

Mr. H. R. Burke, member elect from the First ward, was introduced and the president administered the required oath of office.

The President announced the following standing committees:

Finance—Baader and Burke.
Streets—Leadbeater, Brill and Risheill.
Light—Uhler, Brumback and Harrison.
Poor—Birrell and Spinks.
Public Property—Marshall, and Hellmuth.
General Laws—Smith and Monroe.
Claims—Evans and Burke.
Police—Spinks and Evans.
Schools—Uhler and Helmuth.

An ordinance to establish the curb grade on the south side of Princess street, from Payne street to West street, was read three times and passed—ayes, 12; noes, 0.

An ordinance to establish the curb grades on Alfred street, between Duke and Prince street, was read three times and passed—ayes, 13; noes, 0.

An ordinance to establish the grades of curb on Queen street, from Henry street to Fayette street, was read three times and passed—ayes, 13; noes, 0.

A petition from Messrs. Thomas W. and Geo. R. Nugent for improvements to sewer at corner of Pitt and Gibbon streets, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A petition from the merchants, butchers and hucksters doing business in the city market, requesting that the market be wired and lighted throughout by electricity, was referred to the joint Committee on Light, Finance and General Laws.

A petition from Capt F. L. Slaymaker of the Alexandria Light Infantry, requesting the use of the city gas for military purposes only in the armory, was referred to the joint Committee on Light and Finance.

The following permissions were granted providing there is no objection from adjoining property owners:

Mrs. C. Pierson to reshingle premises No. 1012 Cameron street.

Mr. George Uhler to reshingle warehouse situated on Printers' alley, rear of No. 112 south Fairfax street.

Mr. C. Kicherer to repair roof on building at No. 130 Prince street.

W. C. Van Metre to erect stairway from the first floor of building at southwest corner of King and Pitt streets, into the Opera House on second floor under the supervision of the City Engineer.

A petition from J. A. Cogan to reshingle roof at No. 111 north Royal street, was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in.

An invitation to the board of Aldermen to convene in joint session to fill vacancy on Board of Police Commissioners, was declined and the board adjourned.

HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.
Teste: DANIEL R. STANSBURY, Clerk C.C.

Taft Starts for the West.

Cincinnati, Sept. 23.—Wm. H. Taft started for the west today. Brooks, Ind., will be his first stop today and there he will speak to the farmers at a big countryside barbecue. After Brooks, he will trail through Indiana. At 5 p. m. Thursday he will reach Chicago, where he will meet Frank H. Hitchcock, chairman of the national committee. At Chicago he will have a consultation with Governor Cummins, who will accompany him into Iowa. Mr. Taft expects to return to Cincinnati about October 8, after a swing around the circle to Denver and within a few days will start on a southern speech-making trip.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 23.—Precautions are being taken to guard Taft against accident on his trip through the west. When the Taft train left here this morning a special "pilot" train preceded it and will keep ahead of the Taft train on the whole trip. The schedule of the Taft train calls for 50 miles an hour during the entire trip, exclusive of stops. The train in which he travels is the finest ever assembled in Cincinnati.

The Charges Against Haskell.

New York, Sept. 23.—"If the republicans prove Gov. Haskell of having acted as a Standard Oil agent the democratic party will expect him to follow Foraker's lead to resign. But it is up to the republicans to prove it. The onus is on them." Norman E. Mack, democratic national chairman in a statement issued here today declared the above as the position of his party in the Haskell matter. He said nothing would be done by the Bryan men other than what already had been done by their candidate. "The republicans have adopted the Hearst charges," he said, "now let them prove them true."

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 23, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:51 and sets at 5:54. High water at 6.57 a. m. and 7.14 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight. Thursday increasing cloudiness, showers by night; light variable winds.

"THE SENATE."

The Young Men's Senate held an interesting meeting last night at which business of interest was transacted. The following officers for the ensuing term were nominated: For president, J. W. Monroe and H. Noel Garner; vice president, Arthur H. Dawson, J. W. Monroe and Thos. H. Clark; journal clerk, Geo. L. Appleo; reading clerk, H. White and Marshall L. Schofield; financial secretary, Louis N. Duffey and Marshall L. Schofield; secretary, J. C. Knight, Fletcher Dyson and Joseph Goldsmith; sergeant at arms, A. H. Dawson, Albert Weil, Roger Pickin and C. C. Brawner; official reporter, L. N. Duffey; postmaster, A. V. Powell and T. M. Craig. Samuel Lutt was appointed page.

CHARTERS.

The Corporation Commission has granted a charter to the Shelby Clarke Art Company, Inc., Alexandria. Incorporators—Shelby Clarke, president; C. E. Dornoff, vice president; E. E. Clements, secretary, all of Washington, D. C. Capital stock—Maximum, $10,000; minimum, $2,000. Objects and purposes—Dealers in pictures and picture frames, etc.

The Corporation Commission today granted the following charters:

Columbia Cotton Oil and Provision Co., of Alexandria; incorporators G. P. Sacks, W. G. Carter and Thomas Grant, all of Washington; minimum capital, $50,000.

Liberty Cartridge Co., of Alexandria; incorporators E. M. Funk, Miles Taylor and J. A. Burkart, all of Washington; minimum capital, $50,000.

DISTRIBUTION.

A distribution of the assets of the Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company, which recently went out of business, is being made by the directors of that institution to the stockholders. The amount being distributed at this time is the money in full paid by the stockholders in excess of the first assessment of one-fifth of their subscriptions and 60 per cent. of this one-fifth. Another distribution will be made which will practically amount to the refunding of all the money subscribed by the stockholders.

ARRIVED SAFE.

The schooner Grape Shot, Captain John Stanford, arrived early this morning consigned to J. Dreifus and Co. The cargo is miscellaneous in its nature, embracing a steam fire engine which had formerly been used in the Norfolk navy yard. Capt. R. H. Atkinson arrived on the Grape Shot. It was reported that the schooner had suffered disaster in a storm. Such was, however, not the case, as the captain made harbor before the storm broke.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Robert Murphy, charged with abusive language toward John Travers, had his case continued.

William Clark, charged with vagrancy, was sent to jail for 60 days.

INSPECTION.

As heretofore stated in the Gazette, Col. J. Lane Stern, assistant inspector general of the Virginia volunteer militia, will tonight inspect Company G, First Virginia regiment, at Armory Hall. Maj. James E. King, of the First regiment, made a preliminary inspection Monday night. The public is invited to attend the inspection tonight.

BEGS FOR MONEY.

A one armed tramp visited this city yesterday and took in the back streets in the afternoon begging for money to buy bread. He was quite successful as he had money enough to buy a pint of whisky and go to the moving pictures. He was arrested and locked up last night by Officer Young. This morning Justice Caton sent him to jail for 60 days.

WANT TO TOTE FAIR.

In regard to the races to be held next Saturday, Mr. Bruce Emerson, owner of the speed boat Mae, through Mr. Victor Emerson, has agreed to race the Kindo, owned by Mr. William Moore, if he allows him 100 yards to each mile. Everyone concedes that this is fair and if the Kindo owners want to race it is up to them to say something.

POLITICAL MEETING.

A rousing political meeting is promised the democrats of this city next Tuesday night when Hon. Samuel Kelley, of Richmond, will address the voters. He is a forceful speaker and it will be a rare treat to hear him. The meeting will take place at the Opera House. Other speakers of prominence will be present.

INVITED SPEAKERS.

The committee on speakers of the Bryan, Kern and Carlin Club have invited Judge Wm. H. Mann and Hon. Carter Glass to address the voters of this city. The club intends to hold meetings every Saturday from now until the close of the campaign.

FISH FOUND.

A box containing about two dozen lake fish was found early this morning by Officer Garvey in a lot on Royal street opposite the old Hydraulion engine house. The officer carried the box to the police station, where it awaits identification.

MISS NOTHING BECOMES MRS. NAYLOR.

At the parsonage of the M. P. Church a quiet wedding was solemnized when Mr. John Naylor and Miss Nothing were pronounced man and wife by Rev. Mr. Humphries. A few friends gathered to wish the happy couple a prosperous life.

Kodol will, without doubt, make your stomach strong and will almost instantly relieve you of all the symptoms of indigestion. Get a bottle of it today. It is sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co.

$2.50, $3, and $3.50 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cut, mostly small sizes, offered for a few days only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

CARLIN SPEAKS IN GEORGETOWN.

In the heat of campaign and with the determination to get every available vote for the democratic ticket in November, Congressman C. C. Carlin is seeking every nook and corner and injecting into the voters good old democratic doctrine. He made a speech in Georgetown last night to a large gathering. He said in part: "I am grateful to the democrats of this old town, not only for the aid they have given me, but for the encouragement they have given the voters of other municipalities by helping our peerless leader. I come here direct from West Virginia, and I am glad to say democracy in that state is united to face the enemy, which has recently had a division in its ranks. On November 3 we shall carry that state, whose politics is once more in harmony with old Virginia."

Professor R. V. Works, of Virginia, followed Representative Carlin with a brief address in which he termed the democratic party the real saviour of the union. "The reconstruction of the southern States was effected by democrats," said the speaker. He closed by saying that as long as Bryan lived the memory of Thomas Jefferson would be kept fresh in the hearts of the American people.

Hon. C. C. Frost, of New York; Mr. Richard Moncure, and George Killee made addresses.

THE FRANK ROBBINS CIRCUS.

The famous circus arrived in Cohoes and the experienced workmen erected the big tents with the rapidity with which the mushroom springs from a pasture lot. The circus parade, replete and resplendent, in majestic, scintillating, bewildering beauty, was taken over the principal streets of Cohoes this morning. And the pageant made a decidedly favorable impression on all who thronged the line of march. The ticket wagon and main entrance were opened at one o'clock and the big show began at two. The performance proper is one of the very best that has ever been given under canvas in this city. The doors will be opened at seven o'clock this evening and the performance will start at eight.—[Cohoes Republican.] It will exhibit in Alexandria Thursday, September 24, afternoon and night.

The circus will be on the square bounded by Alfred, Patrick, Pendleton and Wythe.

DEATHS.

Troubles never come single handed, for just after following the remains of Mrs. Annie Kemp to their last resting place yesterday, the relatives of Mrs. Mamie Kemp, wife of Mr. E. B. Kemp, of Artesia, N. Mex., and sister of Mr. R. Lee Field and Miss Sadie Field, of this city, were shocked to hear of her death in Artesia this morning. Mrs. Kemp had been ill for some time and her husband was unable to be present at the burial of his mother, but no one thought the disease would prove fatal. Mrs. Kemp had many friends here who will be pained to learn of her death.

Ethel, the little daughter of the late Shirley King, died this morning of typhoid fever at her home, at the corner of Pitt and Wilkes street.

OWLS' BANQUET.

Alexandria Nest, American Order of Owls, gave a banquet in honor of Washington Lodge last night, which proved a most enjoyable success. The principles of the new order were treated upon by Secretary Sollers, of Washington, and a toast to Alexandria Lodge was responded to by President Chauncey. Addresses were also made by other members from Washington and Alexandria. After enjoying festivities until 11:30 the Washington party adjourned, wishing Alexandria Nest continued success. The festivities were in the hands of Rammel Bros.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

A horse and buggy driven by William M. Priest, 300 north Patrick street, and containing Benjamin Langolf, 333 north Henry street, this city, was struck by a north-bound train over the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric Railway yesterday afternoon on the new Highway bridge. The vehicle was demolished and Mr. Priest sustained a cut over the right eye. Mr. Langolf had his left leg badly bruised. Neither of the injured men went to the hospital for treatment. When the accident occurred, Mr. Priest says, he was on the right side of the bridge and was driving to Washington.

FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Charles E. Moore took place this afternoon from the residence of his parents, southeast corner of Duke and Lee streets. The services were conduced by Rev. J. R. Sevier and the pallbearers were Messrs. Reese Caton, Sydney Mankin, Frank Slaymaker, Frank Mander, Noel Garner and Joseph Moore. Many relatives and friends of the family attended.

E. H. S.

The Episcopal High School, near this city, Dr. L. M. Blackford principal, reopened today with the largest attendance in its history—130 boys. The school opens under the most favorable auspices.

A white man, about 45 years old, committed suicide this morning by jumping off the Benning bridge. The body was recovered, but has not yet been identified.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is especially recommended for children. It tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Hess Oxfords, "the finest", reduced. $4.00, $5.00 and $6.60 grades go at $2.90. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The schooner John P. Robinson, loaded with lumber by Smoot & Co., has sailed for the lower river.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Edward K. Turner and Gay R. Jones, both of Broad Run.

As will be seen by an advertisement in today's paper Messrs. Henderson and Arrington have taken charge of the Potomac Fish Company's business as entire owners of the concern. They are young and popular men and will succeed in their undertaking.

Little Frank Johnston, son of Assistant Postmaster J. E. Johnston, fell from his wheel this morning and was quite painfully hurt.

The Washington, Arlington and Falls Church Railway Company will, it is reported, built about a mile and a half of new track.

Mr. Alexander Beauregard, employed in Bethel cemetery, was bitten by a snake while at work this morning.

The Old Dominion football team will play the first team of the Episcopal High School Saturday on the grounds of the Episcopal High School. A good game in promised.

In the Guilford county, N. C., superior court yesterday, the case against Baxter Shemwell, charged with assaulting W. B. Smithers, conductor of the Southern Railway, was continued until the next term of court, Shemwell gave $1,000 bond for his appearance. The assault alleged to have been committed by Shemwell, was in drawing a pistol on Conductor Smithers and forcing him to stop train No. 37, at Lexington, to let him off, when the train was not scheduled to stop at that town.

There will be a crab picking tonight at Jacob Brill's restaurant, foot of King street.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. Aleck W. Melchior, now of St. Louis, is in the city, having been called here by the illness of his mother. Since he left Alexandria five years ago Mr. Melchior has married and is the father of two children.

Mrs. Elizabeth Della is seriously ill at her home in this city.

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$22.00	211 N. Fairfax	5r
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$15.00	337 N. St. Asaph	6r and store

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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SEPT. 23, 1908.

REVISION OF ROYAL ETIQUETTE

One result of the recent domestic spat between King Alfonzo and Queen Victoria will be a complete revision of the castiron etiquette of the Spanish court, the first act of which began today with the discharge of several well-known court attaches. Queen Victoria, an English girl, grew tired of the surveillance exercised by the Spanish court over her and her husband. She complained bitterly to the king, but the etiquette was of long standing and Alfonzo was afraid to set aside precedents. The upshot was that the queen recently went to her mother on the Isle of Wight with the declaration when the king put into effect the reforms that she demanded, she would return. Alfonzo went to England to plead with her, but found her obdurate. He soon discovered that it was a choice between adhering to procedent or losing his wife, and he showed his mettle by deciding that the grandees of the court and the long list of supernumeraries, whose jobs for years had been considered sacred, would have to shift for themselves. From the most formal household in the world the royal establishment of Spain promises to become the most democratic. Old court attaches and cabinet members are still remoustrating, but Alfonzo has set out on his precedent-smashing venture and will not be stopped.

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A Traveling Man's Experience.

"I must tell you my experience on an east bound O. R. & N. R. R. train from Pendleton to Le Grande, Ore., writes Sam A. Garber, a well known traveling man. "I was in the smoking department with some other traveling men when one of them went out into the coach and came back and said, 'There is a woman sick unto death in the car.' I at once got up and went out, found her very ill with cramp colic; her hands and arms were drawn up so you could not straighten them, and with a death-like look on her face. Two or three ladies were working with her and giving her whisky. I went to my suit case and got my bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarroea Remedy (I never travel without it), ran to the water tank, put a double dose of the medicine in the glass, poured some water into it and stirred it with a pencil; then I had quite a time to get the ladies to let me give it to her; but I succeeded. I could at once see the effect and I worked with her, rubbing her hands, and in twenty minutes I gave her another dose. By this time we were almost into Le Grande, where I was to leave the train. I gave the bottle to the husband to be used in case another dose should be needed, but by the time the train ran into Le Grande she was all right, and I received the thanks of every passenger in the car." For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co., and Richard Gibson.

Low Week-End Round Trip Fares.

Continuing each Saturday and Sunday to and including October 4, the Southern Railway announces the sale of low rate week-end tickets for the round trip, Washington and Alexandria to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Bluemont and intermediate points, and from these stations to Alexandria and Washington, limited returning until Monday following date of sale.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of September, 1908.

M. P. Wrenn vs. the Pittsburg Safe Company, a corporation.

Memo. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant for the plaintiff the sum of $334.88 and to attach and subject the property of the defendant in the city of Alexandria to the payment of said debt.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, The Pittsburg Safe Company, a corporation, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect its interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure, p. q. sep3 w4w th

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 14th day of September, 1908.

Florence B. Glover vs. Charles Glover, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion by the complainant, Florence B. Glover, from the defendant, Charles Glover.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Charles Glover, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order; and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G Brent, P. Q. sep14 w4wm

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 16th day of September, 1908.

Lula B. Ford vs. Robert Ford, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain from complainant a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from defendant; to secure for complainant the custody of the infant child of complainant and defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Robert Ford, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Lewis H. Machen, P. Q. sep14 w4ww

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 15th day of September, 1908.

Dora Bordner, complainant, vs. John S. Bordner, Samuel Groh, William E. Gilbert, W. Gwynn Gardner, E. N. Hopewell, A. T. Smith, trustees, and John C. Brooke, defendants.

Memo. The object of this suit is to sell house and lot on west side of Alfred street, between King and Cameron streets, in the city of Alexandria, Va., and satisfy a judgment lien of the complainants.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that diligence has been used on behalf of the complainant to ascertain in what county or corporation the defendant, John S. Bordner, is, without effect and his whereabouts is unknown and that the defendants, William E. Gilbert, W. Gywnn Gardner, E. N. Hopewell, A. T. Smith and John C. Brooke, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the court house of this city. A copy—Teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Oliver & Brumback, p. q. sep18 w4w-f

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 18th day of September, 1908.

Dora Bordner vs. John S. Bordner } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony with and to the said defendant.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that diligence has been used on behalf of the complainant to ascertain in what county or corporation the defendant, John S. Bordner, is, without effect, and his whereabouts is unknown: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Oliver & Brumback, P. Q. sep19 w4w-s

MEETINGS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the DIME SAVINGS BANK OF WASHINGTON, D. C., incorporated, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Virginia, will be held at the company's principal office in the State of Virginia, 119 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., third floor, on the 24th day of September, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other matters as may properly come before the meeting. Books for the transfer of stock will be closed on Wednesday, September 23, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m.

WM. MONTGOMERY, Secretary.
sep17 3t

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF MONOLITH STEEL COMPANY, INC.—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the above corporation will be held at its office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Virginia (being the office of its attorney, James R. Caton, esq.,), on MONDAY, the 28th day of September, 1908, at three o'clock p. m.

H. M. LOW, Secretary.
sep4 td

THE annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of THE HARRIS & SHAFER Co. will be held at the office of the company, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 3 p m., THURSDAY, September 24, 1908. By order of the directors.

sep13 2w C. A. SHAFER. Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.—Pursuant to its by-laws and order of its Board of Directors, the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the NATIONAL AUTOMATIC FIRE ALARM COMPANY, of Washington, D. C., will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, the 8th day of October, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as shall properly come before the meeting. The transfer books will be closed at 4 o'clock p. m. October 1st, 1908, and remain closed until after said meeting.

sep21 2w J. W. FROST, Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of THE DEWEY ORE REDUCTION CORPORATION will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 107 north Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., at 2 p. m., FRIDAY, October 2, 1908. CHAS. W. DRAPER,

sept21 10t Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of WASHINGTON BREWERY COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, October 5, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m. S. EHRLICH.

sept21 td Secretary.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

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sep14 td Clerk of Gas.

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